



MENTIONED IN BRIEF

Town Talk and Neighborhood Notes Tersely Told

MANY ITEMS OF INTEREST

Gleaned From Various Sources—
Little Points Picked Up By
Vigilant Reporters.

We still have a few calendars on hand. Call and get one.

E. S. Doty has accepted a position as salesman for H. C. Heckerman.

J. M. Fink of Saxton has been appointed Mercantile Appraiser for 1910 for this county.

A. B. Egolf recently purchased a large tract of timber from Adam Sellers in Bedford Township.

A new roof was placed on the residence of Mrs. John Wy Boor on South Juliana Street this week.

Frank McMullin of Washington, D. C., is ill at the home of his brother, Herbert McMullin, south of Bedford.

William, little son of C. T. Emerick, is ill with measles. We understand there are several other cases in town.

Miss Lena Wolff on New Year's eve entertained a few friends at cards at her home on South Richard Street.

The annual meeting of the Bedford County Bar Association will be held on Tuesday, January 11, at 11 o'clock.

A marriage license was granted in Blair County recently to William Oscar Bruner and Miss Dessa Marie Ingram, both of Altoona.

John Fink, a distinguished hunter of the Broad Top region, was in town on Tuesday displaying a large lynx, which was captured near Hopewell.

Last week Grocer James M. Kegg sold his property to Edward Diehl of this place. On Tuesday Mr. Kegg purchased the "Cottage" occupied by A. C. Little.

W. S. Arnold lost a valuable horse on Monday night, the animal took colic, which developed into lung fever. This is the second horse Mr. Arnold lost within a year.

Dr. E. D. Shrock, veterinary, who has been practicing at this place for some time, will go to Somerset shortly where he will have charge of the private hospital of Dr. W. D. Fuller.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Wolfburg M. E. Church will meet Tuesday evening, January 11, with Mrs. J. D. Wolf, when officers will be elected. All members are urged to be present.

Beginning tomorrow a sale of interest to every gentleman will open at Simon's Clothing Store. Prices have been cut on the entire stock, which a glance at his ad on page three will prove.

Charles T. Gilchrist sold his property on West Pitt Street to Adam H. Diehl. Mr. Gilchrist and family and John R. Beemiller will leave in a few weeks for Wichita, Kan., where they expect to make their future home.

On Tuesday Associate Judges William Brice, Sr., and J. W. Huff held a session of court, at which time leave was granted citizens of Liberty Township to vote on changing the system of road tax from cash to work.

Eben P. Welshons, well known in this county, who has been in the employ of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, latterly as Division Dispatcher, has been promoted to Division Superintendent of motive power, with offices in Cumberland.

Occupants of houses where any contagious diseases prevail should not be allowed to send any mail matter until the same has been fumigated. There is no apparatus for this purpose at the local postoffice at present but one is expected shortly.

William S. Lysinger, the well-known representative in Bedford County of the Provident Life and Trust of Philadelphia, has succeeded to the fire insurance business of the late H. C. Davidson. Mr. Lysinger is entering the new year with a strong agency.

A price-slashing sale begins tomorrow at the Metropolitan Clothing and Shoe House, which promises to be the biggest sale the store has ever had. Goods have been re-marked to a new low level and from the appearance of the advertisement on page five the sale will bring the crowd, as the prices have been cut very deep. The proprietor says everything will be sold without reserve, and at a fraction of former prices.

Hiram Blackburn

Hiram Blackburn, a well-known resident of Fishertown, died on New Year's Day at his home in that place at the advanced age of 84 years, 10 months and 15 days.

A son of Jesse and Edith Blackburn, he was born in St. Clair Township in 1825. On April 1, 1852, he was married to Miss Mary A. Conley who, with seven children, survives: Elias and W. Dorsey, of Fishertown; Allen C. of Bedford, Dr. E. C. of Williamsport, Maria E., wife of A. H. Whetstone of Everett; Emma, wife of S. A. Hammaker of Fishertown, and Miss Margaretta at home. Also two brothers and a sister—Uriah and Enoch Blackburn and Mrs. Charles Cleaver, of Fishertown.

Funeral services were held in the Friends' Church on Tuesday, the services being conducted by Rev. Joel Barton of Woodstown, N. J. Interment in the Union Cemetery.

In politics Mr. Blackburn was a Republican and was elected to the office of County Surveyor in 1871 and in 1887 was chosen County Commissioner, in which office he served two terms. In public as in private life he did his duty and as an official and a citizen he was a credit to his family, his community and his country. His correct habits made possible his enjoying a vigorous old age. In religion he was a Friend or Quaker. In his death was lost a man of sterling qualities and an exemplary citizen.

Mrs. George Ross

Mrs. Lettie, wife of George Ross, died at the home of her father, William Abbott, in Saxton on January 3, aged 34 years, five months and six days. She was well known throughout Saxton and was esteemed by all.

She is survived by her husband, one child Helen, who is less than two years old; two brothers, William and Cloyd Abbott, and one sister, Mrs. George Hefner. She was sick for a number of weeks and was a great sufferer.

Her funeral was held in the Church of God at Saxton, of which church she was a regular attendant. The services, which were largely attended, were conducted by Rev. F. W. McGuire. Interment in Fockler's Cemetery.

George Deidrick

George Deidrick, husband of B. H. Deidrick (nee Harnishfager) died near Ravenna, O., on December 23. Mr. Deidrick was in the shirt business in Pittsburg for many years. His wife was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Harnishfager, of East John Street, this place.

Mrs. J. S. Corle

After a lengthy illness, Mrs. J. Scott Corle passed away at her home on Richard Street about 5:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, January 5.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at her late home, the services to be conducted by Rev. J. A. Eyer. A sketch of the life of deceased will appear next week.

At a meeting of the Poor Directors yesterday no change was made in the Alms House officials. As formerly, they are Steward, John Henderson; Physician, Dr. A. C. Wolf; Attorney, Harry C. James, Esq.

Miss Flora V. Crissey, daughter of James M. Crissey of Schellsburg, won the prize of the Great Art School of Scranton and the endorsement of over one hundred scholars last week. This talented young lady is also a graduate of Shippensburg State Normal, Class of 1909.

The regular meeting of Maj. William Watson Post, 332, G. A. R., of Bedford will be held on Tuesday, January 11, 1910, at 1:30 p. m. A full turnout is desired as installation of officers will take place and other business of importance will be transacted. Josiah Hissong, Adj.

Last Sunday evening, at the close of the regular church service, all the members of the congregation, and other friends present, received copies of the very beautiful church calendar issued by the local Presbyterian Church. The calendar contains a very fine picture which is suggestive of the beauty of our Bedford hills.

Miss Clara Mills is ill with scarlet fever at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Mills, West Pitt Street. Thelma, little daughter of Walter Arnold, and Charles, son of Harvey Davidson, are also quarantined. The borough schools closed on Wednesday, the building has been thoroughly fumigated and every precaution is being taken to prevent the spreading of the disease, which is in a very mild form.

ANNUAL ELECTION

Officers Chosen by Local Board of Trade.

At a meeting of Bedford Board of Trade, held in the new rooms in the Brode Building Tuesday evening, S. A. Cessna and John B. McLaughlin were admitted to membership. Committees were appointed to furnish the rooms and to make arrangements for the reception of the Altoona delegation expected here on the opening of the new railroad next spring; also to arrange for transportation for a Bedford delegation to Altoona.

The annual election resulted as follows:

President, John L. McLaughlin.
Vice Presidents, Hon. J. H. Longenecker, A. B. Egolf, J. A. Wright, Patrick Hughes, W. S. Reed, S. H. Sell.

Secretary, D. C. Reiley.
Treasurer, Jo W. Tate.

Directors for three years, E. A. Barnett, S. A. Van Ormer, O. W. Smith, H. E. Miller, P. N. Risser.

Directors for two years, John Line, J. F. Russell, L. D. Blackwelder, F. H. Brightbill, F. A. Metzger.

Directors for one year, H. C. Heckerman, A. C. Blackburn, William Brice, Jr., H. B. Cessna, J. Roy Cessna.

The Board adjourned to meet Tuesday, February 1, at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Mary A. Mock

Mrs. Mary Ann Mock died at her home near Imler on January 2, 1910, of pneumonia, in her 89th year. Deceased was born in that vicinity on January 8, 1831, and was a daughter of Henry Stambaugh. She was married to Josiah Mock.

These children survive: Alex. of Lancaster, Mrs. Ida Claycomb of Troy, O.; Mrs. John Deffenbaugh and Daniel Mock, of Imler; William of Altoona, George of Spring Meadow, Mrs. Harry Fickes of King, and Mrs. E. E. Fickes and Jacob Mock, of Johnstown. Also a sister and two brothers: Mrs. David Bloom of Imler, David Stambaugh of St. Clairsville and Samuel of Reynoldsdale.

Revs. J. W. Zehring and H. C. Salem conducted the funeral services, which were held yesterday in the Reformed Church at St. Clairsville. "Mother" Mock was a good woman, an earnest Christian, and will be greatly missed.

George R. Miller

George R. Miller died on Wednesday, January 5, in a Harrisburg hospital, after a long illness. He leaves a wife, who was Miss Effie Pepple of this place. The body will be brought here for interment tomorrow. Deceased was 41 years of age.

John P. Blackburn

John Piper Blackburn, aged 27 years, died on December 30, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus E. Blackburn, at Fishertown. He had been an invalid all his life, unable to walk.

His parents, two brothers and three sisters survive: Ira of Pleasantville, Orlando of Altoona, Mrs. Clara Mock of Lovely, Mrs. Anna Smith of Springhope, and Mrs. Mary Miller of Fishertown. The funeral was held on Saturday, Rev. J. C. Powell conducting the services.

Dividend Declared

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the First National Bank of Bedford on Monday, January 3, a semi-annual dividend of four per cent. was declared to the stockholders, this being the first time in the history of the institution that so large a dividend has been declared. This is attributed to its management and loyalty of its friends and patrons.

Presidential Nominations

Among the nominations sent to the Senate Tuesday by President Taft were the following: C. Ludlow Livingston of Pennsylvania, consul at Swansea, Wales; James Verner Long of Pennsylvania, consul at Malta, Maltese Islands; to be supervisor of census for Twenty-third district of Pennsylvania, George W. Gerwig.

Bequests to Church and Missions

The will of the late Mrs. Ellen R. Hall was probated this week. She leaves to the Bedford Presbyterian Church, of which she was a member, the sum of \$500 to keep said church in repair; also \$100 to Foreign and \$100 to Domestic Missions of that church. The Bedford Cemetery Association receives \$100.

Mrs. Wilson Dibert

Hattie, wife of Wilson Dibert, died Monday morning at her home in Bedford Township. The funeral was held on Wednesday. Further particulars next week.

BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING

Prompt and Effective Measures—Scarlet Fever in Very Mild Form.

At a meeting of the Board of Health it was deemed wise as a precautionary measure to inform the citizens of our town as to their duty in regard to the observance of the Health Laws and regulations. Several communities have lately had an epidemic of scarlet fever and in all cases it has been traced to carelessness in taking proper precautions. Section 1 of the State law reads:

"Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That every physician, practicing in any portion of this Commonwealth, who shall treat or examine any person suffering from, or afflicted with actinomycosis, anthrax, bubonic plague, cerebrospinal meningitis (epidemic), cerebrospinal fever (spotted fever), chicken-pox, Asiatic cholera, diphtheria (diphtheritic croup, membranous croup, diphtheritic sore throat), epidemic dysentery, erysipelas, German measles, glanders (farcy), rabies (hydrophobia), leprosy, malarial fever, measles, mumps, pneumonia (true), puerperal fever, relapsing fever, scarlet fever (scarlatina, scarlet rash), small-pox (variola, varioloid), tetanus, trachoma, trichiniasis, tuberculosis in any form, typhoid fever, typhus fever, whooping-cough, or yellow fever, shall, if said case be located in a township of the first class, a borough, or a city forthwith make a report in writing to the health authorities of said township, city, or borough; and, if said case shall be located in a township of the second class, or a city, borough, or township of the first class not having a board of health or body acting as such, to the State Department of Health; upon blanks supplied for that purpose, in which report he shall, over his or her own signature, state the name of the disease, and the name, age, sex, color, nativity, and occupation, if any, of the person suffering therefrom, together with the street and house number of the premises in which said person may be located, or otherwise sufficiently designate the same. The date of the onset of the disease, the name and occupation of the householder in whose family the disease may have occurred, the number of children in said household attending school and the name or names of the school or schools so attended, together with such other information relating to said case as may be required by said health authorities and the State Department of Health."

Section 4 of the same law reads: "Section 4. No child, or other person, suffering from scarlet fever (scarlatina, scarlet rash) shall be permitted to attend any public, private, parochial, Sunday, or other school; and the teachers of public schools, and the principals, superintendents, and teachers, or other persons in charge of private, parochial, Sunday, and other similar schools, are hereby required to exclude any and all such children and persons from such schools; such exclusion to continue for a period of thirty days following the removal of quarantine and the disinfection of the premises wherein such child or other person shall reside; and no child, or other person, residing in the same premises with any person suffering from scarlet fever (scarlatina, scarlet rash) shall be permitted to attend any public, private, parochial, Sunday or other school; and the teachers of public schools, and the principals, superintendents, teachers or other persons in charge of private, parochial, Sunday, and other similar schools, are hereby required to exclude any and all such children or persons from said schools, until the expiration of the quarantine period for the last person in the said premises so afflicted; provided the person or persons so afflicted has or have been properly isolated during the quarantine period; otherwise, such exclusion to continue for a period of ten days following the removal of quarantine and disinfection of the premises, by reason of the recovery, death or removal to a hospital of the

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At a meeting of the stockholders of The Bedford Urban Mutual Fire Insurance Company in the office of the company on Wednesday the following Directors were elected for the ensuing year: Patrick Hughes, S. W. Wehn, John S. Gayer, Ed. D. Heckerman, C. D. Brode, W. F. Moore, Eli Eichelberger, George S. Kagarise, Thomas Eichelberger.

The following officers were selected by the Board of Directors: President, W. F. Moore; Vice President, Capt. Eli Eichelberger; Secretary, Miss Ruth Moore; Treasurer, C. D. Brode.

At St. Thomas' Catholic Church yesterday morning at 8 o'clock Rev. Father W. E. Downes united in marriage Miss Sarah E., daughter of J. Beemiller, and George H. Leonard, son of Jerome Leonard, both of South Bedford Township.

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Our old friend, Mr. Emanuel Beegle of Colerain Township, paid us a call last Saturday. Mr. Beegle is 81 years old but hale and hearty.

Mrs. Cyrus Cort of Baltimore is at present a guest at the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Daniels, on South Richard Street.

Among last Saturday's business visitors here were Messrs. Rufus Miller of Helienville, E. P. Bingham of Rt. 2 Everett, and Frank Hershberger of Cessna.

Deeds Recorded

Simon Mills to William Hayward, lot in West Providence; \$500.

William Hayward to Clara E. Mills, same; \$600.

George W. Cypher to Mary Cypher, lot in Saxton; nominal.

Lawrence M. Colfelt to Charles D. Brode, lot in Bedford; \$20,450.

Michael Wendle to William Stambaugh, 218 acres in West St. Clair; \$1,800.

John A. Gump's executors to Everett Cemetery Association, 106 acres in West Providence; \$4,800.

Everett Cemetery Association to Clyde Crawford, 99 acres in same; \$4,000.

Frank Thompson to Emily E. Thompson, lot in Bedford; \$600.

Jacob H. Latschaw's admrs. to Lydia Latschaw, 104 acres in South Woodbury; \$6,600.

Charles Yont to Robert L. Fyan, lot in Bedford; \$3,700.

Eve Koontz to William Wilkinson, tract in Snake Spring; \$100.

Anna Wilkinson et al., by guardian, to Thomas H. Diehl, same; \$250.

Hanson A. Smith, by assignee, to George H. Gibboney, tract in East Providence; \$5.

Thomas M. Mervine to Charles T. Gilchrist, lot in Bedford; \$400.

C. T. Gilchrist to Adam H. Diehl, same; \$1,500.

Julia A. Bowers to Jo. W. Tate, lot in Bedford; \$500.

Jo. W. Tate to Walter M. Bowers, same; \$500.

Council Meeting

At the regular meeting of Council held Monday night the following bills were ordered paid:

Salaries, \$88; A. G. Steiner, pumping and repairs, \$138.65; Davidson Brothers, coal, \$13.75; Electric Light Company, \$168.86; A. B. Brightbill, material for Todd Reservoir, \$19.50; total \$429.76.

Treasurer Davidson reported as follows: Amount received from Burgess Corie, \$23.90; from Tax Collector Brode, \$360.53. Paid during month—borough fund, \$879.14; water fund, \$133.01. Balance in treasury—\$841.47 in borough fund and \$1619.85 in water fund.

Marriage Licenses

William Elmer Efland of Hancock, Md., and Rachel Sarah Messersmith of Charlesville.

Frank Wilkins of Duquesne and Blanche Replogle of Woodbury.

Henry Axon, Jr., of Langdonale and Zola M. Eichelberger of Hopewell.

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Rev. E. E. Snyder returned to Gettysburg on Tuesday after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baltzer Snyder, West Pitt Street.

Miss Ella A. Rush, after spending the past eighteen months with relatives in North Dakota, Indiana and Illinois, returned last Thursday to her home at this place.

Mrs. Walter F. Enfield and daughter Helen were McKeesport visitors this week. They attended the wedding of Miss Ruby Myer and Mr. Devore Reed, in that city Wednesday night.

PERSONAL NOTES

Arrivals and Departures of Residents and Visitors.

IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

The Column Everybody Reads—Chat About Your Friends and Neighbors—Here and There.

Mr. William P. Griffith of Imler spent yesterday in town.

Mr. Simon Oppenheimer was a Cumberland visitor last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Bortz have returned from a trip to Baltimore.

Miss Jennie Wise is home from Altoona for a visit of a month or two.

Mr. George H. Rose of Rainburg was in town on Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. William L. Dahl visited relatives in Friend's Cove over Sunday.

Miss Nell Ritchey left last Friday for Pittsburg where she will visit relatives.

Mr. David F. Imler of Altoona was here inspecting lumber for the P. R. R. Co. this week.

Miss Imogene Kidwell of Leetsdale spent last Friday with the Misses Statler, Penn Street.

Mrs. Edward Dill returned home on Monday after a visit of several days in Huntingdon.

Mr. Joseph Otto was here from Cumberland from Friday until Monday with home folks.

Atty. John H. Jordan has returned to Pittsburg after a few days' visit at his former home here.

Mr. C. L. Elder of Route 1, Saxton, made a business trip to the county seat on Wednesday.

Miss Lenore Seifert of Cumberland was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Seifert.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Leo had as New Year's guests, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kintner, of Cumberland.

Prothonotary A. E. Guyer and family were visitors in Morrison's Cove a day or two the past week.

Mrs. Fred C. Pate spent yesterday in Everett at the home of Cashier and Mrs. George W. Derrick.

Messrs. H. E. Wheeler and A. G. Colvin, of New Buena Vista, were Saturday visitors in our town.

Mr. George Barton of Six Mile Run and Dr. H. R. Brightbill of Saxton were Bedford visitors yesterday.

Misses Margaret and Vesta Brightbill returned on Tuesday from a visit to Cumberland and Frostburg.

Mr. Clarence Mardoff, who was ill at Beaver Falls, has returned to the home of his parents at this place.

Mrs. William Brice, Jr., returned last Thursday from a five weeks' visit in Philadelphia and Delanco, N. J.

Mr. Elwood G. Smith of Pittsburg, paid his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Smith, a visit of a few days recently.

Misses Jennie Leo, Minnie Davidson and Lenore Armstrong were shopping in Cumberland on Tuesday.

Miss Della M. Fletcher, superintendent of the Bayonne, N. J., Hospital, was home for a few days this week.

Justices of the Peace Morris Prosser and W. A. McGregor, of Alum Bank, transacted business yesterday in our town.

Mr. H. T. Post went to Johnstown on Sunday and accompanied his daughter Edith home. The doctor has been ill with grip.

Mr. J. Walter Feighl of East Providence was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Schnably last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Frazer, of Cumberland, were guests at the home of Mr. A. J. Otto, South Richard Street, New Year's Day.

Mrs. S. H. Bailey and little daughter Margaret, of Cumberland, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Brice, Jr., several days this week.

Mr. Charles Steckman of Lancaster was a recent guest at the home of Misses Myrtle and Elsie Steckman and also at Dr. A. Esfeld's.

Mr. George L. Hall, accompanied by his sister, Miss Eleanor M. Hall, returned on Monday to his home in New York City. He was called here by the death of his mother, Mrs. Ellen R. Hall.

The following persons from a distance attended the funeral of Mr. W. Clay Lutz last week: Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Garver of Wheeling, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Grove and Mrs. George E. Mierley, of Huntingdon.

THE TRUE TEST

Tried in Bedford, It Has Stood the Test.

The hardest test is the test of time, and Doan's Kidney Pills have stood it well in Bedford. Kidney sufferers can hardly ask for stronger proof than the following:

George C. Stiffer, 302 W. Pitt Street, Bedford, Pa., says: "The hardships I endured while serving in the Civil War disordered my kidneys. I often had to get up during the night to pass the kidney secretions and my back ached constantly. Rheumatism also bothered me and I was very anxious to get relief. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills highly advertised, I procured a box at John R. Dull's Drug Store and commenced their use. It did not take them long to benefit me. Today I am in better health than I have been for years and I give Doan's Kidney Pills the entire credit for making this change." (Statement given October 14, 1907.)

Results Tell

Mr. Stiffer was interviewed on November 15, 1909, and he added to the above: "I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills just as highly today as I did two years ago. I still use this remedy occasionally when my kidneys are not doing their work properly and I never fail to get the desired benefit in a short time."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other. Dec. 31-2t.

Wolfsburg

January 4—Chicken pox is epidemic here.

Miss Cleo Pierson visited friends in Buffalo Mills last Saturday.

F. M. Bixler, one of our aged and highly respected citizens, was a business caller in Bedford last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Beckhofer and family, of Everett, visited relatives and friends here one day last week.

D. R. Smith killed two fine hogs on New Year's day.

J. D. Wolf, traveling salesman for Sharp and Dohme, Baltimore chemists, has resigned his position until spring on account of ill health.

W. S. Robbins, who had been confined to his room with pneumonia for the past two weeks, left for his home last Thursday accompanied by his wife. We are glad to inform his many friends that he stood the journey very well.

George Wisegarver and family, of near Cessna, were recent callers on friends and relatives in our burg.

Gilbert, infant son of Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Luring, is ill at this writing.

Last Saturday morning we were very much pleased to greet our good friend, John Koonitz of near Cessna, en route to Cumberland on a business mission.

Levi Agnew and Henry Pleacher enjoyed a fox hunt on New Year's Day but were unable to capture the sly old creature.

The young folks of our village made good use of the fine sledding on Thursday last and called on Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Amick, at Willow Grove.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. It invigorates the entire system and strengthens the kidneys so they eliminate the impurities from the blood. Backache, rheumatism, kidney and bladder troubles are all cured by this great medicine. Commence taking at once and avoid Bright's Disease and Diabetes. Ed. D. Heckerman.

Famous Puzzles

The puzzle corner of The Philadelphia Press is as interesting and popular as ever. It is a regular feature every Sunday, and the contest is open to everybody. One hundred American bunting flags are distributed every week to the successful contestants. Flags are 36 inches wide by 60 inches long. The stripes are sewed, not printed, in fast colors. The prize big Saw puzzles are interesting to grow-ups as well as to the little ones. They are a great fad and amuse for hours. Order The Philadelphia Press and solve the puzzles.

State Horticultural Meeting

The annual meeting of the State Horticultural Association of Pennsylvania will be held in the Borough of Tunkhannock, Wyoming County, on the 11th, 12th and 13th of January next. It is believed that this will be one of the most interesting meetings that the association ever held. A number of county societies are arranging to have fruit on display, and a fine exhibition is expected. Topics of especial interest to fruit growers and horticulturists will be discussed. Any person can become a member by paying one dollar, and will be entitled through such payment to receive a copy of the annual report. Professor H. A. Surface, State Zoologist, will be in attendance during the entire meeting and take an active part in the proceedings.

For a mild, easy action of the bowels, a single dose of Doan's Regulax is enough. Treatment cures habitual constipation. 25 cents a box. Ask your druggist for them.

JUDGE MARTIN BELL

Found Dead in Bed at Hollidaysburg on Sunday.

Hon. Martin Bell, president judge of the Blair County courts, was found dead in bed at his residence in Hollidaysburg Sunday morning, January 2. His wife was in Indianapolis with a sick daughter when the end came.

Judge Bell was born in Antis Township on September 30, 1849, received his education at what is now Bucknell University, and was graduated in 1869. He was admitted to the bar in 1873, practicing 20 years before being elevated to the judgeship of Blair County. He was a staunch Republican.

Deceased is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Irene Lemon, and three sons and three daughters.

Samuel B. Lysinger, Esq.

Samuel B. Lysinger, Esq., died at his home in Martinsburg on January 1 at the age of 71 years and eight days.

He was born in Williamsburg, taught in Blair and Bedford Counties for ten years, and read law with Atty. Myers and Dickerson at this place, being admitted to the Bedford County Bar on February 11, 1861. He served for 26 years as Justice of the Peace.

On July 3, 1853, Mr. Lysinger had his right arm torn off by the explosion of a cannon, being at the time a member of the uniformed state militia. He was an upright lawyer and a progressive citizen.

One son, Aiden, of Leavenworth, Kan., and his wife, who was Miss Maria Snyder, survive. Interment at Martinsburg on Tuesday.

THE SECRET OUT

"What made my lovely complexion? I do not like to tell, for it was medicine, but the nicest a woman ever took. It was Lane's Family Medicine that did it." This is a pleasant herb tea which acts favorably on the stomach and bowels, purifying the blood and cleansing the skin like magic. It cures headache and backache. Druggists and dealers sell it, 25c.

Samuel D. Detwiler

On Wednesday, December 29, near Woodbury, Samuel D. Detwiler passed away at the age of 72 years, six months and 20 days.

Deceased was a prominent farmer and a consistent member of the Church of the Brethren. His wife, who was Miss Nancy Dilling, and the following children survive: George of Hopewell Township, Harrison of Liberty, Abram, Mrs. Jonas Shank and Levi S. Frederick, all of Woodbury Township, and John I. and Barbara, at home.

Rev. J. K. Brown and J. C. Stayer conducted the funeral services, which were held at the Cross Roads Church last Friday morning.

You'll feel better after taking DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the safe, sure, pleasant, gentle little liver pills. If you would be sure of good results insist on DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve, the original. It is good for big cuts or little ones, small scratches or bruises or big ones, but it is especially good for piles. Sold by Ed. D. Heckerman.

DIED

ARTHUR—At Johnstown on December 30, John Arthur, aged 81 years. A native of this county; member of Co. F, 198th Regiment, during Civil War.

Fisher of Hearts

Discarded are all Cupid's arrows. For useless his most honeyed darts. He now baits a hook with some \$\$, This gay little fisher of hearts.

—Cora Lapham-Hazard.

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Buying in His Note.

Colonel Bill was a pioneer legislator, merchant and banker of the west pocket variety.

It was seldom that Colonel Bill got caught by a debtor, so unerring was his judgment of men, but his transaction with old man Blankerton was an exception to the rule. Blankerton got into Colonel Bill's ledger to the amount of \$60 and finally balanced the account with a note.

When the paper was a long time overdue and there was no prospect of a settlement, to the eminent disgust of the colonel, he declared, with a strong Anglo-Saxon emphasis, that he would sell Blankerton's note for 50 cents on the dollar. The statement was not long reaching the ears of the maker of the note. He met the colonel in the village street one day and accosted him:

"Bill, heard you'd offered to sell my note for 50 cents on the dollar."

"Yes; I will."

"Will you sell it to me at that rate?"

"Yes, sir; I'll sell it to you at that rate."

"All right, Bill; make out a new note."

Colonel Bill's symptoms of apoplexy became noticeable from that moment.

—Chicago Record-Herald.

The Oldest Joke.

It will be difficult to discover an older practical joke than that of the copper-smith and the maker of brazen images for the temple of Osiris, which is embodied in Egyptian inscriptions dating from the reign of Menes, founder of Memphis, who ruled over 7,000 years ago. According to ancient records, there dwelt between these two craftsmen a quiet man whose desire was for peace and who was sadly disturbed by the noisy occupations carried on by his busy neighbors. He therefore asked each of them to say for what sum they would change their dwellings. This they did. Each calculated the amount required, and he, being satisfied, paid it over to them.

"Now," he asked of the copper-smith, "where is your new dwelling?" "I have taken that of the maker of images," was the reply. "And you?" queried the quiet man of the latter. "Whither goest thou?" "To the house of the copper-smith!"

This is one of many tales told in all ages which are woven into myth and legend and differ only in local color.

He Needed the Clerk.

When Tim Campbell was in the Fifty-ninth congress he stole a clerk from Congressman Scott. Scott was a new member and was made chairman of a committee which gave him a clerkship. He knew nothing about the clerk. Campbell did. Through some means or another he had the clerkship transferred to his own committee. Six months later Scott learned of the trick. Meeting Campbell, he said:

"That was a nice piece of petty larceny."

"Tut, tut, Mr. Scott," said Campbell. "my committee needed a clerk worse than yours." Then, with twinkling eyes, he continued, "You are a millionaire and can afford to hire half a dozen clerks, while I must go to the government for clerical assistance." The ready reply amused Scott. The two men were always the best of friends thereafter.

Anxious Traveling.

A traveler in Russia noticed that the train he entered was all decorated with flags and banners, and at every station it passed stood a company of soldiers and a band playing the national anthem. The traveler asked a brakeman the reason of all this ceremony. The brakeman, lowering his voice, replied:

"I don't mind telling you, sir—but the strictest confidence, be it understood—that a carriage in this train has been engaged for his majesty, the emperor, as a matter of fact, was set off till this evening. This he hatched against him may take on this train, you see, and once he is sovereign will be saved."

The brakeman touched his cap and passed on, and the traveler suddenly grown pale and nervous, stared from the window anxiously.

Sulphur Springs Reformed Charge Sunday, January 9. Trinity Church—Sunday School 9:30; divine worship 10:30 a. m.; missionary 7:30 p. m. Grace Church, Albany Choice—Sunday School 9:30 a. m.; divine worship 2:30; Young's People's meeting 7 p. m.

Emmet M. Adair, Pastor.

Gladdening a Humorist.

The financial burden which Mark Twain carried some years ago weighed on his mind heavily. In those moments of despondency there was one tactful friend who could make the humorist forget his troubles. This was Dan Beard, the artist who illustrated some of Twain's books.

"Dan Beard, there is no tonic that can equal the company of a cheerful man," said the humorist as he entered the artist's studio.

"Ah, but I have such a pleasant subject to work upon that I am not in need of either man or tonic for my cheerfulness," retorted the artist.

"Beg pardon; it is I that need the tonic, and that is why I am here," said Twain forlornly.

"Then allow me to prescribe a dose of your own medicine." And Mark was handed a copy of his book which Beard had been studying.

"I thank you," replied the humorist. "It took me a year to get that medicine out of my system, and I do not propose to imbibe it again."

A discussion of the book was followed by a hearty dinner, and Twain left his friend, having received the cheer that he needed.

The Alligator's Tongue.

On one occasion when traveling along the west coast of Africa with an old skipper who had known many missionaries, but "did not see the use of them," Bishop Taylor-Smith was obliged to endure a string of taunting questions, such as "What was the good of spouting at Exeter hall?" and "What did missionaries know, anyway?"

At last the bishop could stand it no longer. Turning to the skipper, he said: "I know you are an expert. Can you tell me the length of an alligator's tongue?"

"Certainly," was the reply, "but it depends on the length of the alligator." "Very well, then; given an alligator fifteen feet long, what would be the length of its tongue?"

"Three feet," was the answer.

But the bishop, who had kept alligators and watched their ways, knew better. "It is evident that you are an authority on the west coast of Africa," he said, "but it is also evident that some people see more in ten minutes than others in twenty years. Let me tell you that an alligator has no tongue."

Declined the Job.

A writer of cheap fiction related a trick played on him by a collaborator in the days when dime novels were longer than they are now, and the compensation made it worth while for two men to write one story between them. After his partner had finished the first chapter of their initial collaboration it was handed over with the following announcement:

"There, I've just thrown the hero over a thousand foot cliff and told the reader that nothing could prevent the lad from falling to death on the rocks below. It is up to you to save the boy."

The other writer said nothing, but sat down and wrote furiously for an hour. Then he quietly banded the manuscript back. A glance at the second chapter showed the funny man that his friend had completely ignored the events in the first part of the story, introduced a new set of characters and left the hero still hanging over the cliff, waiting to be rescued by his creator.—New York Sun.

Poetry Didn't Save Them.

A New York prisoner accused of drunkenness who pleaded his case in rhyme before a magistrate got a sentence of six months on "the island," for, as the judge remarked, his "jag" was bad enough, but his poetry was worse. Over in London a "plain drunk" put forth this:

I've been drinking wine that is drawn from the wood; No bottle rubbish, but sparkling and good But it got in my head, so my friends all explain That the wine has gone back to the wood once again

The effusion and the celebration cost him 10 shillings.—New York Tribune.

College Sentiment.

Dr. Blank, about twenty years a professor in a certain college, was on the eve of a trip to Europe, to be absent two years. In pathetic and rather harrowing tones he made his farewell address to his class:

"Yes, I am about to part with you. This is more than distressing to me. Would that there was a window in my breast, my dear boys, that you might see the innermost recesses of my heart."

A strippling in the rear, seized with a happy thought, shouted:

"Professor, would a pane in the stomach do?"—Lippincott's.

Unusual Luck.

"So you're reputed that haunted house which was on your hands so long?"

"Yes; rented it to an actor."

"Did he hush on its reputation?"

"That's the very thing which decided him to take the house."

"Rather surprising?"

"He said it would be such a comfort for him to get inside of a house where the ghost walked every night."—Baltimore American.

Mrs. Malaprop.

"You mustn't think you ought to run around barefooted, Johnny," said Mrs. Lapsing indignantly. "Just because Bobby Shakespeare does. He's no centurion to go by."—Cassell's Journal.

Engagement Broken.

Merchant: I have had hard luck—lost all my money. Sulphur—Surely you would not wish to lose your daughter also.—Flegende Blatter.

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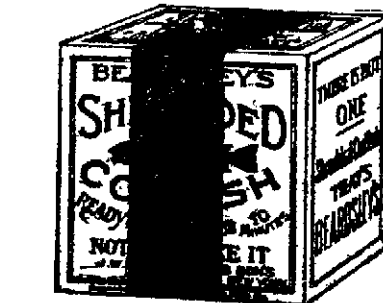
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The Panama Canal in War

The strategic value of the Panama Canal is estimated to be equivalent to a fleet of large battle ships. This is the conclusion of Dr. Cornish, given before the Royal Geographical Society in London. Taking the cost of the canal at \$500,000,000, which would only build forty first-class battle ships nowadays, the United States will have a good bargain, and be able to cover a total coast line without any material increase in her vessels.

The canal will double the sea efficiency of our fleet for half the sum of money that would otherwise be necessary to maintain communication between the Pacific and Atlantic coasts.

At the same time, the merchant marine of the United States will some day be developed, and justify the people in maintaining a naval armament that will be fully equal to that of other nations.—Joe Mitchell Chapple in "Affairs at Washington" in the January National Magazine.

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Local Institute

The teachers of Bedford Township will hold institute in the Wickersham school house, near Bedford, on Saturday, Jan. 22, at 1:30 p. m., when the following program will be rendered:

Opening exercises, song; topic, "How Would You Get Pupils to Realize the Importance of an Education?" E. A. Hershberger, Misses Helena Weber and Clara Reiskwick; recitation, Miss Grace Zimmers; topic, "Should the People in General Take an Interest in the Teachers' Educational Meetings?" D. W. Lee, James Hemming; recitation, Miss Ethel Di- bert; duet, Misses Grace Zimmers and Emma Hershberger; address, Superintendent Barkman.

Axon-Eichelberger

On December 31 at the Methodist parsonage at Hopewell, Rev. W. W. Reese united in marriage Miss Zola M. Eichelberger of that place and Henry Axon, Jr., of Langdondale.

How Sugar Melts.

If we drop a lump of sugar into a cup of tea we find it takes a considerable time to melt if allowed to remain at the bottom of the vessel, but if we hold it up in the spoon near the surface of the liquid it dissolves much more rapidly. This is owing to the sugar as it melts rendering the portion of the tea containing it heavier.

The sweetened part, therefore, descends, leaving the sugar constantly in contact with unsweetened or only partially sweetened tea—in fact, a continual circulation of fluid is promoted until the whole is dissolved. When the sugar is placed or permitted to lie at the bottom of the cup it dissolves until the layer of fluid next it is thoroughly sweetened or saturated, when it practically ceases to dissolve any further, the sweetened and heavier stratum above it acting for a considerable time until the law of diffusion comes gradually into play, like an impervious covering, in keeping back the lighter, unsweetened fluid above; hence the reason also why stirring, in breaking up the saturated layer and allowing access to the unsweetened portion, is so effectual in bringing about the uniform sweetening of tea. Life is not infrequently sweetened by the same stirring up process.

A Softening Lotion

A nice lotion for softening water for bathing purposes is formed of eight tablespoonfuls of alcohol, one tablespoonful of ammonia and a dram of lavender. The preparation can be bottled and used whenever the water seems too hard.

Do not get into the habit of using such softeners every time you bathe the face. If the water is hopelessly hard try to use rainwater instead. In cold weather melted snow—provided it is not gathered from dirty city streets—is an excellent substitute for hard water.

Vary the lavender lotion by the use of almond meal, oatmeal or some other softening preparation.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

The Soulful Florist

"I don't believe that God ever made the flowers to sell," said the Broad Street florist. "If I was rich I wouldn't sell a one. I would raise the beautiful things to give away to people who need them, to the poor and the sick and the tired." The florist looked as if he meant what he said, too.—Newark News.

Don't trifle with Kidney and Bladder trouble. Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills as directed and you will at once notice satisfactory results. DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are antiseptic, healing and soothing. Be sure to get DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills when you ask for them. Refuse substitutes and imitations. Look for the name on the package. Sold by Ed. D. Heckerman.

Children's Shoes

Do you know that few children's shoes are properly fitted?

A child does not know enough to tell anything about them, except that they are too tight.

There are other faults in shoes than tightness. They may be a good enough shape as shoes, but not the shape of the small foot which they are intended to protect. Ill-fitting shoes are responsible for many a childish ill.

Unreasonable fatigue, bad carriage, nervousness and pains in the limbs are all traceable to this cause. Never let a child wear shoes that are uncomfortable if it can possibly be avoided.

A SALE IN WHICH EVERY GENTLEMAN IS INTERESTED

All Men's and Boys' wear at very substantial reductions right at the time they are worn most. You read so many offers of "superlative" bargains in Suits and Overcoats that it is little wonder that you are sometimes confused or amused.



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SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, Jan. 8th

Here are a few of the many bargains we are offering at this, the greatest of Bedford's sales. Any goods bought during this sale, and not satisfactory, will be cheerfully exchanged.

\$18 Overcoats and Suits at \$10.50. \$15 Overcoats and Suits at \$8.50

Men's Neat Dress Suits in mixed and plain materials worth \$10, at **\$3.96**

Men's Fine Suits in cheviots and Scotch Plaids, at **\$4.85**

Men's Elegant Business and Dress Suits, cut in the very latest style, hand-padded shoulders and collar, worth up to \$15, at **\$6.88**

Fine satin and Venetian lined Dress Suits, in plain or fancy mixed patterns, single or double breasted, worth double the amount, at **\$7.45**

Men's Extra Fine Dress Suits in all the latest styles, equal to any tailor-made garment at \$25; all to go at **\$9.85**

Schloss Bros. & Co. famous make Suits, worth up to \$15, at **\$6.38**

A lot of the world-famous Hart, Schaffner & Marx Suits and Overcoats at prices away below actual value.

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Men's Fine Overcoats, strictly hand-made, long and medium length, in all colors, worth up to \$15, at **\$6.45**

Men's Fine Royal Standard Kerseys, in black, blue and oxfords, equal to a \$22 overcoat; during this sale at **\$9.85**

Youths' Overcoats, sizes 15 to 19, long coats, worth up to \$10, at **\$4.65**

Everything Sold as Advertised

There are hundreds of other equally marvelous bargains in our immense stock, which we have neither room nor time to mention, but which can be seen at our store.

Boys' \$5 and \$6 Overcoats, sizes 8 to 15, at **\$2.48**

Boys' Suits, worth up to \$3.50, at **\$1.48**

Boys' \$5 Suits, fancy cheviots and worsted, during this great sale at **\$2.32**

Your choice of our finest line of Boys' \$6, \$7, \$8 Suits, **\$3.18**

Men's heavy winter underwear worth 35c and 40c, at **19c**

Men's all wool underwear, worth up to \$1.50 per garment, at **85c**

Men's heavy fleece lined underwear, worth 50c and 65c, during this sale at **35c**

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Men's Soft Hats, worth 50c and 75c, at **39c**

Men's Stiff Hats, latest shapes and styles, worth \$1.50, at **89c**

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Men's \$2 and \$2.50 Hats, finest fabrics, at **\$1.46**

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Patent Colt, Gun Metal and all other kinds of leather.

The \$4.00 kind reduced to **\$2.95**

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The \$3.00 kind reduced to **\$2.35**

Boys' shoes, worth up to \$1.50, at **96c**

Men's Dress Pants, worth up to \$2, at **89c**

Men's Fine Dress Pants, worsteds and fancy cheviots, worth up to \$3.50, at **\$1.46**

Men's all-wool worsted pants for Sunday wear, worth \$3.50 and \$4, at **\$2.38**

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PAYING IN PATRONAGE

The action of President Taft in holding up appointments recommended by independent members of the Senate and House is another step in the direction of one-man power. It is, of course, intended to punish those who believe or doubt a little more or less than the Taft standard, but it is treading on treacherous and dangerous ground. Has it come to pass that the Executive can whip members of the House and Senate into line and compel them to obey his mandates by holding up appointments recommended by them? Are we so near one-man power? So near an absolute monarchy?

Wisely did the founders of our government act when they made the Legislative, Executive, and Judicial Departments, thus enabling one branch to act as a check upon another; but if present methods and conditions continue to grow the constitution, the magna charta of the American nation, may as well be pigeon-holed.

By his recent action the President places himself on the side of Cannon and Aldrich—on the side of the interests. But the progressive and independent forces, who were in favor of carrying out party pledges and who were not satisfied with upward revision of the tariff, have with and back of them the plain people of the nation and they will, we believe, eventually triumph; Cannonism and Aldrichism will not always rule in national affairs. It is to be hoped that those Senators and Members of the House who have opposed Cannon and his clique will continue to do so and not permit themselves to be bought into humble and servile submission with patronage.

WONDERS NEVER CEASE

And so it has come to pass in this year 1910 that many thousands of the sons of Pennsylvania are urging Mon. John M. Reynolds to be a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor.

Mr. Reynolds should not be required to desist from his inclinations, to accept so arduous a task. Surely Mr. Reynolds has served his time in politics. Once before he was compelled by importunities that were legion to forget self and personal pleasures and inclinations and become a candidate for Congress "in the hope that he might establish peace between the warring elements in the Republican organization" and how admirably (?) he succeeded! He served his constituents (still forgetful of self) for three terms, and surely more than this should not be asked of him, especially when we consider that within these latter weeks he refused to run for a fourth nomination for Congress,—which nomination he could have had for the asking,—that he might attend to personal matters and have more time for social duties. It is not right to whip the horse that pulls the hardest—think of the seeds he has sent out!

If the throng that insists upon his running for Governor would be more considerate they would not insist upon his being a candidate but would permit him to have a period of leisure, so that he may, during the long summer afternoons, sit and chat with his neighbors beneath the shade on the lawn at his home in the East Ward which he so valiantly lost along with the county when he was first elected to Congress. Even politicians should follow the advice of

Sancho Panza and "Lean toward mercy when justice is doubtful." Leave Mr. Reynolds to his inclinations.

Rainsburg

January 6—The funeral of Albert Rose, whose death was quite a shock to residents of this place last Wednesday, was held Saturday afternoon at his late home, Rev. A. H. Green officiating. Interment in the Methodist Protestant Cemetery.

Ward Ressler of Salem, O., is visiting Samuel Shaffer and other friends in this community.

Miss Margaret Lessig, after spending the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Lessig, has returned to Shippensburg to resume her studies in the State Normal School.

Clarence James of Pittsburg, who has been ill of tonsillitis at this place, is improving.

Walter Cessna brought a carload of young cattle from New York yesterday.

William Howsare has purchased the John Cessna farm near this place.

B. Forney and Company, undertakers of Everett, on Tuesday removed the bodies of George W. Barkley and wife from the cemetery at this place and conveyed them to Everett for interment.

P. M. Morgart, our rural mail carrier, has been on the sick list for a few days. S. G. Pennell is substituting.

Rev. Harry Dollman, who filled the pulpits in the various churches of the Rainsburg Lutheran Charge during the holiday season, returned on Tuesday to Gettysburg.

The oyster supper held in the P. O. S. of A. Hall last Saturday night by the ladies of the Lutheran Church, was a success in every particular. Over \$35 was realized.

Telephone Company Reorganizes
The Friend's Cove Telephone Company reorganized under a charter, framing a new Constitution and By-Laws, during the past week. The officers elected are as follows:

President, Clayton Smith; Secretary, S. Taylor Diehl; Directors—Samuel Cessna, C. A. Koontz, Francis Beegle, Harry Hunt, Martin Diehl, D. P. England and John C. Koontz; Auditors, D. W. W. Diehl and J. C. Shoemaker. The rate was raised to \$15 per year.

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January 4—Mr. and Mrs. Blar Mock were guests of friends at Johnstown and Windber last week.

Jacob Bowser, who suffered an attack of inflammatory rheumatism last week, is improving.

Mrs. Jacob Miller and Albert Miller and two sons spent Saturday with friends at Osterburg.

James Helman of Windber was a welcome visitor in this community Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. Blackburn of Point spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Bowser, at this place.

Miss Elsie Pensyl of Charlesville is spending some time here with her aunt, Mrs. Ray Mock.

Richard Carson and family, of Rock Lick, visited friends in this community on Sunday.

Daniel Mickle

The people of this community were greatly shocked last Tuesday evening, December 28, on hearing of the death of Daniel Mickle, a well-known and highly respected man of this place. Mr. Mickle had been in poor health for quite a while yet his death came very unexpected, he being at the home of his brother Jacob at the time he was stricken. He leaves a wife and three daughters, Elsie, Rena and Alma, to mourn his loss. His remains were laid to rest in the Hull graveyard near New Paris on Thursday, funeral services being conducted by Rev. G. W. King of Schellsburg. The family have the sympathy of the entire community in the loss of a loving husband and father. He was aged 45 years, two months and 17 days.

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Preaching services at Mann's Church at 10:30 a. m. Sunday and at Buffalo Mills 7:30 p. m. An opportunity will be given for parents to have their children baptized and for any Christians to unite with our church.

G. W. King, Pastor.

Point

January 5—Mrs. H. S. McCreary is still in a very critical condition.

Your correspondent and wife partook of roast turkey on New Year's Day at the residence of R. C. Smith in company with the following persons: D. M. Wonders and wife, Mrs. Susan Musselman, Russell Wonders, Mrs. Bertha Kinzey and daughter, George C. Claycomb, wife and daughter, Manford Beckley, wife and children, Rayford Smith, J. E. Fetter, wife and children, Harry Wonders, wife and children, R. C. Smith and wife, and Miss Myrtle Cable. We all enjoyed a good dinner and a social chat.

Point was well represented in Schellsburg Thursday night at the banquet given by the P. O. S. of A.

Mrs. Becky Kincaid of Everett is visiting the family of John Winegardner this week.

Mrs. Loren Riseling and children, of Altoona, are visiting the family of N. H. Riseling at present.

Harry Otto has built a small kitchen to his residence and a small stable for present use. He expects to move his family on Thursday into his new home.

W. H. Feight, wife and three children, of Bedford, were welcome guests of the family of your correspondent on Sunday.

H. S. McCreary, our postmaster, had nine pension papers to fill up and execute, and all the old soldiers and widows were on hand.

The ice houses here were filled last week with a good quality of ice. There was no ice in this community last winter.

Hooker.

Fishertown

January 5—Among the seriously ill at this writing are Grandmother Way, Valentine Fickes, John Claycomb and Mrs. Bowers.

Walter Allen, an employe of the Hartley Banking Company, has returned to his work after an attack of tonsillitis.

William Oldham and family spent Sunday at the home of C. E. Hille-gass.

The Local Institute held at the Fishertown school last Saturday was well attended and several interesting addresses made.

The following young folks spent Friday night at the home of Albert Suders at New Buena Vista: Misses Bessie Claycomb, Dillie and Ella Hille-gass, Jessie Wright, Ruie Hammer, Olive Way, Reba Taylor, Hattie and Pearl Berkheimer and Allene Wolfe; Clement and Charley Way, Elmer Wright, Merle Hoover, Bruce and Charley Blattenberger, Chester Evans, Roy Hoover and Stanley and Clay Wolfe. All report a good time.

Among those who have returned to school after their Christmas vacation are: J. Roy Hille-gass and Charles M. Way, to Pennsylvania Business College, Lancaster, and Clement and Olive Way, to the George School, Bucks County.

Leslie Berkheimer spent Saturday and Sunday with William Meyers at King.

Miss Elizabeth Blackburn, a teacher of an Altoona school, is spending her vacation here.

Charity.

Imbertown

January 4—Misses Nellie S. Kerr and Stella M. Dibert spent last Tuesday evening at the pleasant home of B. Frank Russell.

A sled load of persons from Chaly-beatville passed through here Tuesday night.

Dr. Statler and daughter and Ed. D. Heckerman and daughter, of Bedford, were at this place last Thursday.

Ben Russell was quite ill the past week.

Joseph Heming lost a very valuable cow recently.

John Klotz loaded another car of lumber Monday.

C. V. Dibert sold a car of ear corn Monday at Yont's Station.

Miss Nellie Kerr, who spent the past week in this place, has returned to her work in Huntingdon.

Texas

January 1—After spending his holiday vacation at his home at this place, C. M. Sell has returned to Juniata College in further pursuance of his studies.

Idomer Guyer, wife and two daughters, Margaret and Esther, were visiting at the home of Mrs. Guyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Brumbaugh, of Clover Creek, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Snyder and children, Albert and Ethel, of Snake Springs, spent New Year's day with A. S. Grubb and family.

W. S. Guyer recently has the misfortune of losing a horse valued at \$200.

On Saturday ice measuring twelve inches in thickness was taken off John Guyer's fish pond.

Two sled-loads of young folks, one of Yellow Creek and the other of Salemville, attended our Literary Society Tuesday evening of last week.

Good people, we welcome your coming. Come again!

New Paris

January 4—Elmer Ringler of Scullton was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Eliza Blackburn, during the holiday season.

George A. Cuppett, wife and son, of Johnstown, spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Latshaw.

Harry Bisel and wife are now citizens of Boswell. Mr. Bisel has charge of a livery stable at that place.

The following persons were elected officers of Eureka Grange for the ensuing year: Master, Joseph R. Sleek; Overseer, J. O. Blackburn; Lecturer, A. C. Richards; Steward, G. M. Hann; Assistant Steward, G. M. McMillen; Chaplain, J. B. Beckley; Treasurer, G. W. Hoover; Secretary, J. A. Cuppett; Gate-Keeper, A. P. Latshaw; Lady Assistant Steward, Mrs. G. W. Hoover; Pomona, Miss Kate Adams; Flora, Mrs. Cora Mickle; Ceres, Mrs. Henry Adams; Trustees, G. M. McMillen, G. M. Hann and A. P. Latshaw; Insurance Agent, G. W. Hoover.

William C. Seese

William C. Seese died at the home of his mother, Mrs. E. V. Wright, at New Paris, on December 30, of consumption, aged 32 years, five months and 28 days. He is survived by a wife, whom he married about three months ago, and four brothers: George, Alonzo, James and Samuel. Funeral services were conducted in the M. E. Church at New Paris the morning of January 1, by Rev. G. W. King. Interment in the cemetery at Pleasantville. Caj.

King

January 4—Harmon Wright of Queen made a short call at J. G. Hengst's last Sunday.

S. W. Fickes, who has been ill for some time, is much better at this writing.

A merry crowd of young people from Imber enjoyed a sleigh ride to the home of J. G. Hengst last Friday. The evening was spent very pleasantly in games and music, after which the happy party, composed of about twenty persons, started for their homes in the wee small hours of the morning.

The people of this community are very grateful for the rapid progress of the Midland Railroad which, it is reported, will be completed in the spring.

Miss Rosa Crist, who has been visiting in Altoona for the past month, returned home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Fickes and family and G. Rush Shoemaker, wife and family spent last Sunday evening at the home of D. A. Shafer of this place.

D. Elmer Fickes, who is attending the West Chester State Normal, returned for the spring term after spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Fickes, of this place.

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Other Corset Covers, 10c to \$10.00.

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Mann's Choice

January 5—S. E. Leonard, superintendent of the tannery, spent part of Saturday and Sunday with his son at Hyndman.

Hazen Harderode and Emory Plesinger, of Hyndman, have secured employment at the tannery here.

S. W. Keyser of Schellsburg was among Tuesday's visitors here.

Jacob Sides spent a couple days recently with his aged mother near West End.

George C. Crissay will leave in a few days for Beaver Falls where he will purchase horses for his new livery and sale stable.

H. F. W. Miller of this place is in charge of the carpenter work on Joshua Kerr's new hotel at New Buena Vista.

Grit.

Wolfsburg M. E. Charge

Preaching at Rainsburg at 7:30 p. m. Saturday, January 8. Sunday—services at Burning Bush at 10:30 a. m.; revival at Mt. Smith at 7:30 p. m. Albert S. Luring, Pastor.

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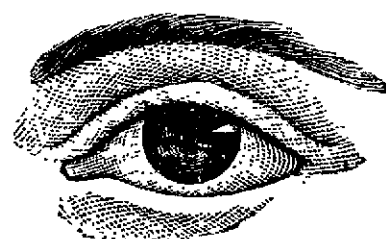
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Imber

January 4—After a week's vacation, William Wisegarver, our station agent, is back and J. Warren Imber has returned to Hyndman.

W. Edgar Griffith left for Saxton on Monday, where he will spend a few days prior to returning to college at Lancaster.

Long & Graybill have moved their engine to Joseph Mock's near Lovely, where they will finish a job of sawing.

John Deibough lost a valuable horse last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Weyant spent Sunday afternoon at Pleasantville with Mrs. Louise J. Weyant, who is seriously ill.

W. H. Bloom and family, of Spring Meadow, spent Sunday at Mary Lings.

Miss Clara Fickes has returned home after a prolonged visit in Altoona.

Miss Erma Walters of King is spending some time here with Miss Ada Stult.

W. P. Griffith loaded two cars of telegraph poles on Tuesday. The ice houses around here were filled last week. The ice was from nine to ten inches thick and of an excellent quality.

D. Clinton Colebaugh has returned to Lancaster.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Bittinger, of near Imber, was the scene of a renewal of old times and meeting of old friends to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. They received quite a number of valuable presents.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Longenecker, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Fickes and daughters, Sue and Carrie; Miss Rebecca Fickes, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Fickes and children, John Fickes, wife and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crilly and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Quitman Claycomb and family and Miss Ada Fickes.

St. James' Episcopal Church
Morning prayer, litany and sermon, "The Visit of the Wise Men to Christ," 11:15 a. m.; Sunday School 12:30 p. m. All seats free, everybody welcome. John Costello, Pastor.

DIED

EYER—At Bloomsburg on January 1, Rev. F. Franklin Eyer, aged 72 years, a former Methodist Episcopal minister at Saxton. H. B. Eyer of Everett is a son.

PRICE-SLASHING SALE

Wait for Saturday, Jan. 8th, 9 A. M.

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Men's Furnishing Goods

Red Handkerchiefs	2c
White Handkerchiefs	2c
Heavy Socks	6c
15c Fancy Socks	9c
25c Fancy Socks	11c
Boys' 15c Black Stockings	9c
Men's Silk Suspenders	11c
Extra Fine Suspenders	17c
Canvas Gloves, Extra Heavy	5c
Leather Gloves	19c
75c Gloves	44c
Fine Wool Gloves	21c
50c Fleece Underwear	37c
75c Underwear	44c
\$1.50 Wool Underwear	88c
Boys' Heavy Union Suits	39c
Men's \$1.50 Union Suits	89c
25c Rubber Collars	12c
Woolen Socks	12c
Men's 50c Work Shirts	37c
Men's 75c Dress Shirts	36c
75c Dress Shirts	48c
Men's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shirts	88c
Men's Flannel Night Shirts	39c
Silk Four-in-Hand Ties	19c
50c Caps	23c
75c and \$1.00 Caps	44 and 69c
\$1.50 Dress Hats	97c
\$2 and \$2.50 Hats	\$1.39
Men's 50c Sweaters	37c
Men's 75c Sweaters	48c
\$1.00 and \$1.25 Sweaters	69c
\$1.50 and \$2.00 Sweaters	98c
Men's and Boys' Overalls	38c
Overall Blouses	38c
\$4 Corduroy Reversible Coats	\$2.09
\$2.50 Heavy Working Coats	\$1.29
\$3 Corduroy Pants	\$1.88
\$2.00 Dress Pants	\$1.33
\$3.00 Dress Pants	\$1.88
\$4.00 Dress Pants	\$2.41
\$2.00 Suit Cases	98c
\$3.00 Suit Cases	\$1.69
\$4 and \$5 Leather Suit Cases	\$2.88 and \$3.88

\$3.44 for Young Men's all Wool or Worsted \$7.50 Suits, all of this season's new style makes.

\$2.88 for Big Boys' Overcoats that were sold before this sale at \$6.50. Sizes up to 18 years. Cut long and roomy. This season's latest style.

\$1.48 for Boys' \$3.00 Knee Pants Suits. Sizes run from 4 to 16.

\$1.98 & \$2.39 for Boys' \$4.00 and \$5.00 Knee Pants Suits, in 12 different styles. Sizes 4 to 16.

\$2.98 & \$3.44 for Knee Pants Suits that sold from \$5.00 to \$7.50 before this sale. This lot of suits is the finest ever sold in this or any other part of the state. Sizes up to 17.

\$1.39 for Boys' \$2.50 and \$3.00 Overcoats. Sizes 4 to 14.

\$2.69 for Boys' \$5.00 and \$6.00 Overcoats. Sizes 5 to 16. These are the best coats made for five and six dollars. Yours for only **\$2.69**.

19c for Boys' 40 to 50c Knee Pants while they last. Sizes run from 4 to 16. Take as many as you want for only **19c**.

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\$4.33 for Young Men's Very Fine Dress Overcoats that sold as high as \$10. All sizes and patterns. This is less than the raw cloth is worth.

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\$6.44 for Men's \$12 and \$13.50 Raincoats. Black, Gray, Tan and Olive colors; all sizes.

Ladies' Tailor Made Suits—\$12.50 Tailor Made Suits for Ladies, Black and Blue, only **\$6.98**

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Misses' \$10 and \$12 Tailor Made Suits, all sizes, all new styles, three different shades, coats satin lined; while they last they are yours for **\$5.98**

Misses' and Girls' Coats, values from \$5 to \$10, all sizes; while they last they are yours for **\$2.98**

Ladies' \$12.50 and \$15 Coats in Black and colors, sizes 32 to 40, for **\$7.89**

Ladies' \$10 and \$12 Long Coats, made of fine cloth, in Smoke and Gray. Yours while the lot lasts for the small sum of **\$4.98**

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Women's \$1.75 Shoes	\$1.19
Women's Gun Metal Shoes	\$1.48
Women's LA FRANCE SHOES, all sizes, Vici Kid and Gun Metal Calf	\$2.48
\$3 and \$3.50 WOMEN'S HER-RICK Shoes, all kinds of leather; while they last	\$1.69
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Men's \$3 Dress Shoes	\$1.98
Men's \$3.50 and \$4 Shoes in Gun Metal and Patent Colt, Button or Blucher, for	\$2.68
Men's High Cut Tan \$3.50 Shoes, yours for	\$2.69
Men's \$4 and \$5 TERHUNE Fine Shoes, in all leathers and all styles, Blucher or Button	\$2.88
Men's \$3.50 and \$4 WALK-OVER Oxfords, all sizes	\$2.48
Men's WALK-OVER SHOES in Gun Metal and Patent Colt, Blucher or Button, all sizes; yours for	\$2.98
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THEY GREW OLD APART

By MERIAM B. BECKWITH.
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"Harry, dear," said the young wife on her deathbed, "when I am gone forget me. Seek some one to fill the place I leave vacant. Don't delay. Never mind if the world says, 'This man has no sooner buried one wife than he begins looking for another.' I know what is best for you. The longer you put it off the less you will desire it, and I don't wish you to become again used to bachelor habits."

"The place you will leave vacant will remain vacant."

"I have given you my wish; I can't argue with you, and I can't remain with you to influence you, though, if possible, I will do so from the other existence. One word more. If you delay and become a middle aged or an old man before marrying again choose a young woman who will bear you children to love you and for you to love. When you think of me picture me watching over you trying to lead you in the path that I know will alone bring you happiness."

When all was over and he began the life without her these words came back to him, and he was wonder-stricken that they should have been spoken by a woman, and that woman his own wife. "But the realization of her wish is impossible," he reasoned, "because I shall never find the woman who can fill the place she has left vacant, and if I could find one who could fill it I would not wish it filled."

On this account and from preference he hugged her memory and ignored her wishes. Shortly before her death, and while she was in the flush of health her portrait had been painted. This portrait he took from the wall where it hung and placed it over his desk in his study. He was a literary man, and his work was influenced by the woman whose mental and moral strength and virtues were memorized in the portrait.

A year passed, and he still loved—a memory. Was it love or the memory of a love? He never asked himself the question. He did not doubt that it was love. It might not occupy his mind, he admitted, as much as at first, but this is true of one who love who has been gone a long while. Those who are absent do not occupy our thoughts as if they were present, but on their return we find them as dear to us as ever. At times he would remember her earnest look when she had made her last strange request and would experience a momentary troubled regret that he could not accede to it. Then he would recall the reason and would be satisfied.

One day five years after her death he stood looking at her picture. It seemed to him that there was a more mature look about it than he had before noticed. The lips did not appear so red, the eyes not quite so bright. Then a sudden pleasant thought struck him. He was growing older, and some unexplained mental or, rather, soul construction within him was enabling him to see her growing older with him. Whence it sprang or what power had planted it he cared not. It was there. They would grow old together.

Another period passed, and he noticed a greater change. The cheek seemed to have lost some of its roundness. The nostril was thinner. There were faint whitish pencil streaks on the hair that might be the effect of light on the canvas or a beginning of white hair. There were lines about the eyes and on the neck. Two feelings within him contended for mastery—a pleasure that he was not leaving her in youth behind him and a distress that her beauty was fading.

These mingled feelings did not leave him. He thought the distress that she should change was unnatural. Does a husband regret to see the wife he loves grow plain? Does she, indeed, grow plain to him? The latter question set him off on another course of thought. Supposing a man loses a wife of twenty. At forty or fifty she comes back to him. Is love the same as if she had grown old beside him? He could not make up his mind that it would be.

From this time he noticed a change in his feelings toward the picture. It was not the same to him. In vain he tried to get used to this singular transformation in it, which he attributed to some mystical soul effect. He felt that it and he were diverging. Instead of growing old together they were growing old on different lines. Then it began to be repulsive to him.

He was struggling with a desire to remove it when one morning a girl of twenty stumbled into his study. Her cheeks were ruddy enough with out the blush that spread itself from her forehead to her dimpled chin. A startled look was in her eye, followed quickly by an embarrassed smile that parted her lips, showing her white teeth. Then hurriedly withdrawing she shut the door.

From this vision of youthful loveliness he turned to the picture. It was a portrait of one the same age as the girl who had entered and withdrawn. Once it had so appeared to him. Now it was the likeness of a middle aged woman. He did not stop to wonder, as he had often done before, why this was so. He went out and followed the receding girl.

After he had married her he put the picture of his first wife away. To others it is the portrait of a young woman. To him he knows not what it is, for he never looks at it. He believes the soul effect he had experienced was sent by his wife to bend him to her request.

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While the people were in expectation or suspense, and men were reasoning in their hearts as to whether John was the Christ or not, Jesus, being about thirty years of age, came to John to be baptized. John, who was the Christ or Elijah or that prophet, but John replied that he was neither the one nor the other, but only the voice of one crying in the wilderness, "Make straight the way of the Lord, as said the prophet Isaiah" (John i, 19, 23). Then after His baptism John pointed Him out as the Lamb of God who took away the sin of the world and whom men are to follow, and men hearing John followed Jesus. We are not good witnesses unless those who see and hear us follow Jesus because of us. According to our lesson, John at first refused to baptize Jesus, feeling his own unworthiness, but Jesus said, "Suffer it to be so now, for thus it becometh us to fulfill all righteousness" (verse 19). Remembering the first recorded utterance of Jesus, "I must be about my Father's business" (Luke ix, 49), how suggestive is this second utterance, "Suffer it to be so now." As believers in Him and therefore His representatives here we should always be about His business, and in reference to all that He appoints us, however unnecessary and uncalled for many things may seem to us, we should remember His words, "Suffer it to be so now." Whatever God appoints to be done, and we manifest His righteousness by cheerful submission to all that is right in His sight. Thus we shall be approved of Him in some sense as Jesus was. When Jesus began thus publicly to identify Himself with sinners, for those whom John baptized confessed their sins (verse 6), but Jesus had no sins to confess, the heavens were opened and the Father testified to His delight in His Son, and the Spirit came as a dove and abode upon Him. Thus we see the Father, Son and Holy Spirit in this great event. It seems to me that this testimony from the Father covers all the previous life at Nazareth, while the testimony at the transfiguration (xvii, 5) covers all His public life. He could truly say of Himself in relation to His Father, "I do always those things that please Him" (John viii, 29). We can never be satisfied with ourselves while we stay in these mortal bodies, but we can walk with God in fellowship if we are always well pleased with His Son Jesus Christ. In the seven chapters in which we find the phrase "Heaven opened" (Ezek i, Matt. iii; John i, Acts vii and x, Rev. iv and xix) we have in each a vision of Christ. He is always the center of adoration by the hosts in heaven and the redeemed on the earth. If Jesus, who must have been, like John, filled with the Spirit from His birth (Luke i, 15), needed a special filling or anointing for His public ministry is it any wonder that so few have any public ministry unto Him when so few seem to know or care anything about a special anointing of the Spirit? His desire is for many to stand before Him, to serve Him, to minister unto Him (Mt Chron xix, 11), but He has to say to the many: "I would, but ye would not." "Ye will not come unto me." "The same devil who blinded and led astray Adam and Eve is still blinding the minds of the lost to the light of the glorious gospel and the minds of the saved ones to the light of the glory of God and His kingdom. To submit to God means to resist the devil (Jas. iv, 7; 1 Pet. v, 8, 9), and until we have learned something of his devices and how to resist and overcome him we are not qualified for service as witnesses unto Christ. God did all He could for the comfort and happiness of Adam and Eve, but the devil told them that he would do better for them and make them like God. The devil's lie won and has been winning the crowd ever since by his suggestions on the same three lines. Something for the body, something for the mind and the power to lord it over others seem to cover the most of his devices—good for food, pleasant to the eyes, a tree to be desired to make one wise (Gen. iii, 6). Bread for the body, the esteem of men, the world and its glory. The first may include all gratifications of the body, the second all that might give us praise from men and the third every phase of dominion over others. Whatever you desire get it; do or be something wonderful in the eyes of man; get power over men by gold or politics or in any way the devil may suggest. How does our Lord reply? Things for the body are not important in comparison with the life and health of the soul the food of which is the word of God. To desire greatness in the eyes of others is called tempting the Lord our God. To bow down to the devil for the sake of worldly advantage is forbidden by "Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God and Him only shalt thou serve." Would we live in fellowship with God and in the comfort of the ministry of the angels it must be by rejoicing in the Lord our righteousness and in a hunger for a greater manifestation of it in us; by seeking to magnify His name, not ours.

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Home Course In Live Stock Farming

VII.—Silos and Silage.

By C. V. GREGORY,
Author of "Home Course in Modern
Agriculture," "Making Money on
the Farm," Etc.

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THERE is no feed on the farm that is more economical than silage. Ten to thirteen tons of green feed can be produced to the acre. When made into silage this is practically canned and will keep in good condition all winter. Stock is in especial need of some succulent feed during the winter. Indeed, feed of this kind is essential if the greatest possible profits are to be obtained. Silage supplies succulent feed in the cheapest and most convenient form. It is an especially val-

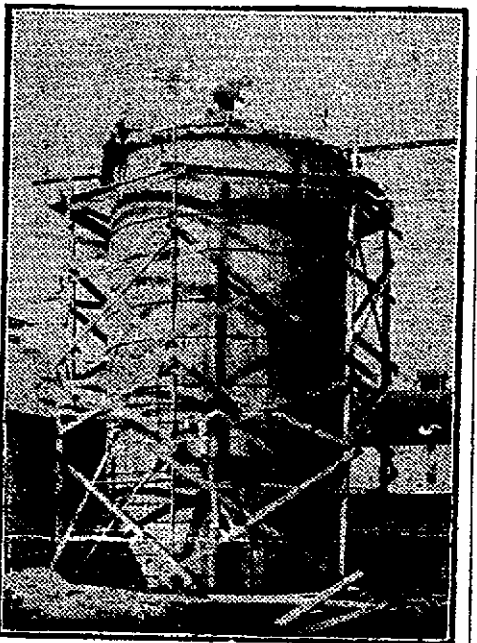


FIG. XII.—ERECTING A STAVE SILO.

uable feed for dairy cows. Twenty-five to thirty pounds of silage per day will keep the milk yields up to a point practically as high as could be reached on pasture. A silo is indispensable on the dairy farm. It means summer conditions all the year round.

The value of silage for beef steers has not been fully demonstrated as yet, although a great many feeders are using it with satisfaction. Used in moderate quantities, it cheapens the cost of gain and keeps the animals healthy. For calves and stock cattle silage is an excellent feed, keeping them thrifty and making cheaper gains than could be produced in any other way.

All kinds of sheep do well on silage. It is a good feed for hogs if fed in moderation, and chickens are very fond of it.

The main consideration in locating the silo is to have it convenient. Since most of the silage will probably be fed to dairy cows, the best place for the silo will be at the end of the cow barn. Feeding bunks can be arranged close to the silo for feeding silage to young stock.

Wooden Silos.

There are several types of silos. Many of the first silos put up were built of lumber double walled and sided on the outside. This made a very good silo, but one that was altogether too expensive. A later and more popular type is the stave silo. This is made much the same as a wooden tank. It consists of long staves held in place by hoops, with a row of doors on one side. Stave silos are used more extensively at present than any other type. They are cheap, easy to erect and fairly durable. This latter point depends largely upon the kind of wood used. White pine and redwood are the best materials for staves. They will last twenty years or more. Cypress, Oregon fir, larch and hard pine are all durable woods for silo construction. Whatever kind of lumber is used it should be of the best quality, straight grained, sound and free from loose knots. A stave silo should be kept well painted on the outside. It must be anchored solidly with guy wires, as it will blow over easily when empty. The hoops will need to be tightened in the summer time when the lumber shrinks and loosened again when the silo is filled.

Cement and Tile Silos.

Concrete is used to a considerable extent in silo construction. If properly put up a concrete silo is practically indestructible. Silos must be well reinforced with steel wire and must be put up by some one who understands the business if they are to be satisfactory. Silage freezes worse in a cement than in a stave silo. A double walled cement silo does away with this objection, although it increases the cost considerably. With the recent high prices of lumber, however, a good double walled concrete silo does not greatly exceed a good stave silo of the same size in cost.

Stone, brick and cement blocks are all used for silos with good results. The main thing is to get them laid accurately and properly re-enforced. A silo made of hollow building tile is giving good satisfaction at the Iowa experiment station. These tiles are laid in cement, being put together edge-wise. The resulting dead air space is very effective in preventing freezing. When lined with a coating of cement, such a silo is air and moisture proof. It is as durable and satisfactory as a

double walled concrete silo, costs less, and there is less risk of failure due to improper erection.

Details of Construction.

While the silo should be located as close to the barn as possible, it is not advisable to put it inside the barn. It takes up room that is needed more for other purposes, is unhandy to fill, and the odor of the silage is objectionable. There will be some odor anyway, but not so much when the silo is located outside the barn. A handy method of construction is to connect the silo with the feedway of the barn by a narrow chute which extends the full height of the silo. The silage can be thrown down this chute and carried into the barn. There should be doors at frequent intervals the entire length of the chute. A frequent mistake in making silo doors is in constructing them too small, thus making it unhandy to get out and in. Great care must be taken to see that the doors fit snugly, as the silo must be absolutely air tight if the silage is to keep well. A silo is really a big can, and silage is nothing more or less than canned corn. The crevices about the door may be filled with wet clay before the silage is put in, or tarred paper may be placed over the doors.

Another point to look to is to see that the inner walls are as smooth as possible, so that the silage will settle evenly. Uneven settling means air spaces and decay.

Some expense can be saved in building a silo by having it extend four or five feet below the surface of the ground. If deeper than this it will be too much work to get the silage out. Either cement, hard burned brick or stone may be used for building the foundation. The foundation up to the surface of the ground should be eight to ten inches thick, with a bearing surface about four inches wider. The foundation should be flush with the walls of the silo on the inside, so as not to interfere with the settling of the silage. If the soil is of hard, impervious clay no floor will be needed. In looser soils a cement floor four to six inches thick, made as described in article 2, will be necessary.

Size of the Silo.

The size of the silo will depend upon the amount of stock to which silage is to be fed. It is better to get size from depth rather than from diameter, as the pressure due to additional depth causes the silage to keep better. This greater compactness also increases the capacity of the silo. If fresh silage is to be had at all times the silo should be of such a size that at least two inches in depth will be fed each day. If fed slower than this it will spoil on top and the value will be reduced. The ordinary size for a quarter section is sixteen feet in diameter and thirty feet in depth. If more capacity is wanted ten to twenty feet may be added to the depth. The following table, condensed from bulletin 100 of the Iowa experiment station, gives the capacity of silos of various sizes:

Inside diam-eter.	Height.	Capac-ity, tons.	Acres required to fill.	Pounds that must be fed per day.
14	20	51	8.1	1,030
14	24	109	7.2	1,030
14	28	128	8.5	1,030
14	32	138	9.2	1,030
16	20	82	13.1	1,340
16	24	148	9.6	1,340
16	28	165	10.3	1,340
16	32	180	12	1,340
18	20	151	10	1,700
18	24	236	13.2	1,700
18	28	252	15.2	1,700
18	32	282	18.8	1,700
20	20	187	12.5	2,100
20	24	243	16.2	2,100
20	28	261	18.8	2,100
20	32	282	25.5	2,100

The following table from the same bulletin gives the approximate amounts of silage needed per day by the various classes of animals:

Kind of stock.	Pounds of silage.
Beef cattle—	
Calves	15-25
Fattening cattle	12-30
Dairy cattle	20-50
Sheep	3-4

Corn is the principal silage crop because of its yield and feeding value. It should be cut for silage just as the ears are well denting. If cut too early sour silage will result. If left longer it will be too dry to pack well. This

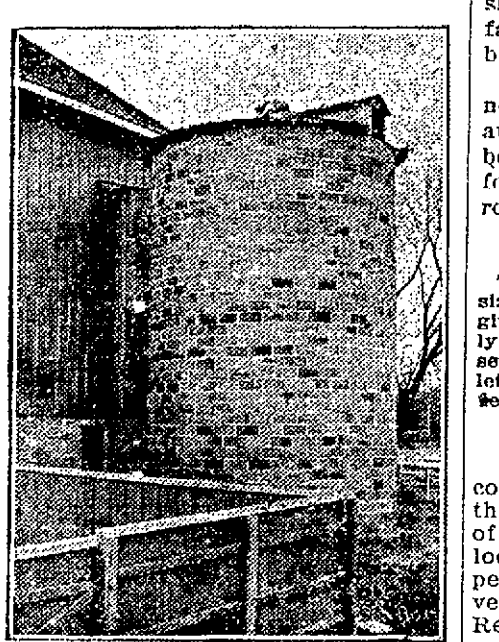


FIG. XIII.—A TILE SILO.

can be helped by running water into the silo as it is being filled. A wind elevator is by far the most satisfactory means of getting the silage from the cutter to the top of the silo. A long canvas tube extending down into the silo keeps the silage well mixed. Tramping the silage thoroughly as it is put in is one of the secrets of having it keep well. It should be especially well tramped around the edges. After the silo is filled a few oats may be scattered around on top. These will sprout, forming an air tight covering, which will keep all but the top few inches of silage from spoiling.

CAUSE FOR ALARM.

Loss of Appetite or Distress After Eating Symptoms That Should Not Be Disregarded.

Appetite is just a natural desire of the system for food necessary to replace natural body waste. Loss of appetite or stomach distress after eating indicates indigestion or dyspepsia. Over-eating is a habit very dangerous to a person's good general health, and insatiable appetite is a common symptom of diabetes.

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HORSE SHOW FASHIONS.

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A charming costume seen was of cashmere de sole in a lovely shade of chestnut brown, with the tunic drapery of openwork tissue, in the meshes of which were seen to glisten tiny beads of gold and pearls. The yoke and sleeves were of heavy cream lace, and there were touches of pale blue that were most becoming.

In plain tailored costumes there were many different lengths in coats—in



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fact, there were too many long coats to make the style at all distinctive. Delightfully smart were the velvet and velveteen costumes with short skirts and medium length coats of fanciful design in gray, black, taupe brown, purple and blue.

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Life

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The Shade He Wanted.

Delacroix, the painter, was walking out one day in Paris with a friend of his when he fell into a brown study.

"What is up with you now?" said the friend.

"I can't get a certain shade of yellow," replied the artist.

"What sort of yellow?"

Just then a cab drove past.

"The very thing!" the painter gasped out. "Stop, stop!"

"I am engaged," the cabby replied without stopping.

Delacroix started in pursuit and at a steep place in the Rue des Martyrs overtook the cab. Opening the door, he said in tones of entreaty to the passenger inside:

"Do please tell your driver to stop. I want your complexion for a painting on which I am at work. There is a color merchant close at hand. I shall not detain you above five minutes, and in acknowledgment of the service you render me I will present you with a sketch of my picture."

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CHARTER NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Court of Common Pleas of Bedford County on Monday, January 17, 1910, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., under the provisions of the Act of Assembly of April 29, 1874, and its supplements for a charter for an intended corporation to be called the P. O. S. of A. Hall Association and objects of which are for the purpose of erecting, owning and maintaining a hall for public and private use, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges conferred by the said Act and the supplements thereto.

ALVIN L. LITTLE, Solicitor.

Dec. 31-3t.

ELECTION NOTICE

The members of the Friend's Cove Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company will meet at Charlesville on Tuesday, January 11, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

S. T. DIEHL, President.
H. G. DIEHL, Secretary.

Dec. 24-3t.

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NOTICE OF APPEALS

Appeals from the Triennial Assessments of 1910 will be held in the Commissioners' Office in Bedford for the different townships and boroughs as follows:

Coadale	January 17
Colerain	" 17
Cumberland Valley	" 17
Everett	" 18
Harrison	" 18
Hopewell Borough	" 18
Hopewell Township	" 18
Hyndman	" 19
Bloomfield	" 19
Kimmell	" 24
Liberty	" 24
Lincoln	" 24
Londonberry	" 24
Mann	" 25
Mann's Choice	" 25
Monroe	" 26
Napier	" 26
New Paris	" 26
Pleasantville	" 31
Providence East	" 31
Providence West	" 31
Rainsburg	February 1
Bedford Township	" 1
Schellsburg	" 1
Snake Spring	" 2
Southampton	" 2
Saxton	" 12
Broad Top	" 12
Junata	" 12
St. Clairsville	" 12
Union	" 12
Woodbury Borough	" 12
King	" 12
Woodbury South	" 12
Woodbury Township	" 12
Bedford Borough	" 12
St. Clair East	" 14
St. Clair West	" 14

Appeals for State purposes April 4, 5, 6.
GEO. H. ZIMMERMAN,
DAVID S. HENGST,
C. W. BLACKBURN,
Commissioners.

Attest: G. R. SHUCK, Clerk. Dec. 24-3t

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE

I will offer at public sale on the premises on FRIDAY, JANUARY 14, 1910, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., the real estate of James Corboy, Sr., deceased, in Bedford Borough, adjoining lot of Hon. J. M. Reynolds on east, Lutheran Parsonage on south, an alley on the west, and lot of Waverly Hotel on the north, lot 60x120 feet, having thereon erected a two-story plank house, large livery stable, with sheds, harness house and outbuildings.

TERMS.—Ten per cent. of bid must be paid or secured on day of sale, remainder in cash at confirmation of sale.

ELIZABETH H. CORBOY, Executrix.
FRANK E. COLVIN, Attorney.
Dec. 24-3t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE

[Estate of Margaret Hill, late of Napier Township, deceased.]
The undersigned auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Bedford County to state an account for James G. Hoke, admr. d. b. n. c. t. a. and to make distribution of the balance in his hands, to and among those entitled to the same, will sit for the purpose of his appointment at the Court House in Bedford, Pa., on Saturday, January 15, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day. All persons are required to present their claims before the auditor or be forever debarred from coming in for a share of the funds.

D. C. REILEY, Auditor.
SIMON H. SELL, Attorney.
Dec. 24-3t.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

[Assigned Estate of W. Scott Mullin, of Hyndman, Pa.]
Notice is hereby given that W. Scott Mullin and Beuna V. Mullin, his wife, of Hyndman, Bedford Co., Pa., have executed a deed of voluntary assignment of all their estate, real and personal, to the undersigned, for the benefit of the creditors of said W. Scott Mullin. All persons indebted to said W. Scott Mullin will make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands will present the same without delay to or to ALBERT S. MULLIN, B. F. MADORE, Huntington, Pa., Attorney, Assignee.
Bedford, Pa. Dec. 17-6t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Court of Common Pleas of Bedford County, Penna.
Assigned Estate of John C. Nicholson of Coadale Borough, Bedford County, Pa.

The said John C. Nicholson, assignor, having filed his petition praying that Moses Lippel, the assignee in the matter, be ordered to re-convey to the assignor all the assigned estate remaining in his possession, and that the said assignee shall be released and discharged. Notice is hereby given that the prayer of the petition will be granted by the Court unless objection is made thereto on or before the 19th day of January, 1910, at nine o'clock a. m. of said day.

E. M. PENNELL, Attorney for the Assignor.
Dec. 31, 3t.

Heavy, impure blood makes a muddy, pimply complexion, headaches, nausea, indigestion. Thin blood makes you weak, pale, sickly. Burdock Blood Bitters makes the blood rich, red, pure—restores perfect health.

BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING
(Continued From First Page.)

person last afflicted in said premises. Provided, however, That any child or person who is immune from scarlet fever, by virtue of a former attack—this fact being attested by the attending physician—may, on an outbreak of the said disease in the premises in which he or she resides, be allowed, after taking a disinfecting bath and putting on disinfected clothing, to remove therefrom, and take up his or her residence in other premises occupied exclusively by adults, and may, from and after ten days from such removal, be admitted into any of the said schools."

A portion of Section 24 reads:

"Any physician, undertaker, teacher of a public school, principal of a school, superintendent of a Sunday School, sexton, janitor, or any other person or persons, who shall fail, neglect, or refuse to comply with, or who shall violate any of the provisions of this act, shall, for every such offense, upon conviction thereof in a summary proceeding before any magistrate or justice of the peace of the county wherein said offense was committed, be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than twenty (\$20) dollars, or more than one hundred (\$100) dollars, to be paid to the use of said county, or to be imprisoned in the county jail for a period of not less than ten or more than thirty days, or both, at the discretion of the court."

It will be seen that the parents and all persons responsible for any household wherein there are contagious or communicable diseases, are liable under the law and must make a report to the local health officer when no physician is in attendance.

Several cases of scarlet fever in a mild form have been reported and the Health Board is taking prompt and effective means to care for these cases. They ask every citizen to properly observe the law in this respect and thus prevent any serious trouble, as has been the case in several other towns lately as a result of carelessness.

By order of the Board of Health.

Fryan

January 5—Ralph Rose of Ash Street, Johnstown, is circulating among friends here.

Chalmers Hillegass spent Monday at New Baltimore on business.

Wilson Houseworth of Snake Spring Valley spent Tuesday of the past week in our locality.

E. J. McKinney and A. N. Lyons spent a few days the fore part of the week at their homes near here.

Emanuel Wolford left on Sunday for Everett, where he has secured employment in a steam sawmill.

Miss Emma Weyant, who has been away for the past two months, is again the guest of home folks.

Hillegass Brothers' rake handle factory is again working full time.

Rolla and Sawley Hillegass spent Saturday at the county capital on business.

John Weyant was reported on the sick list for a day or two the past week.

Hillegass Brothers expect to finish up their season's threshing this week at A. P. Hillegass.

A sled load of merry young people from Fishertown spent last Thursday evening at Albert Suder's near here. All report having a fine time.

William Fisher is busily engaged erecting several outbuildings on the farm which he recently purchased from Hezekiah Fair.

Schellsburg

January 5—Joseph Ross of Philadelphia spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. L. A. Ross, this week.

Miss Lou Shaffer of Frostburg is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. L. Van Ormer, at present.

Miss Mary Purcell of Imletown is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Colvin.

Mrs. C. L. Van Ormer and son are visiting her mother, Mrs. Brown, at Sulphur Springs.

The fantastic parade on New Year's Day was better than it has been for years.

Miss Edith Shaffer, who is employed at Hyndman, and her friend, Miss Fannie Cook, spent the holidays with the former's mother, Mrs. John Shaffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vest, of Mann's Choice, and Otto Amick and sister, of Napier Township, spent Saturday with the Misses Burns.

Miss Mary Bair and sister Hilda, of Everett, spent several days with Misses Annie and Grace Wolfe recently.

The P. O. S. of A. banquet held in the hall last week was quite a success. C. B. Williams and T. H. Rock are working at Ryot this week.

Our schools are again in good running order.

St. Clairsville Reformed Church

King—St. Mark's, preparatory service Saturday 2 p. m.; Holy Communion Sunday 10 a. m.; St. Clairsville—Sunday School 1; preaching 2:15; congregational meeting 3:15; Missionary service 7 p. m.
J. W. Zehring, Pastor.

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A word about tuning and repairing. My son, who is a first-class tuner, a graduate of the Blasius Piano Factory, of Woodbury, N. J., is with me and we are thoroughly equipped to do tuning and repairing of all instruments. All orders left at my store will receive prompt attention. Yours very truly,
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W. S. Otto, St. Clairsville.
H. H. Berkheimer, Osterburg.
Shaffer & Conrad, Osterburg.
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A 68-page catalogue of about 250 worthy premiums has been published. If you do not have one, any of the above merchants will tell you where you can get one, free. If wanted by mail send 4 cents for postage.

SALE REGISTER

All persons having sale bills printed at this office get a free notice in the sale register. This is worth several times the price of the bills.

On Wednesday, January 12, at 3:13 West Pitt Street, Charles T. Gilchrist will sell household goods; sorrel and bay horses and black mare; wagons, buggy, work gears, harness, chains, saws, axes, etc. Also two tracts of timber land, with yellow pine, chestnut, rock oak, and locust; tract with log house, stable, 600 peach trees.

At 12 o'clock on Thursday, January 13, at Imletown will be sold the property of Mrs. Elizabeth Diehl—lot with frame house, frame stable and outbuildings; one cook stove, 3 heating stoves, carpets, beds and bedding, corner cupboards, bureau, dishes, lamps, 30 chickens, and many other articles.

At 2 p. m. on Saturday, January 22, on the premises at St. Clairsville, will be sold two lots, 50x200 feet, having thereon erected the Reformed parsonage—an 8-room frame house—good stable and outbuildings, with good well and cistern thereon; also four lots, each 50x200 feet, adjoining.

Trinity Lutheran Church

The blessed Gospel of Jesus Christ is faithfully preached every Sunday morning and evening in Trinity Lutheran Church, Bedford.

Hours of service and worship are 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; mid-week services Wednesday 7:30 p. m. All are not only cordially invited but also earnestly urged to attend all these services.
M. L. Culler, D. D., Pastor

St. Clairsville Lutheran Church

Services as follows: Imlet—Friday 2:30 p. m. preparatory services and at 7 p. m., sermon on Prodigal Son with two illustrations. Lord's Day 10 a. m., Holy Communion. At 2:15 p. m., preaching at St. Clairsville; the catechumens will meet immediately after preaching. The illustrated sermons will be delivered at St. Clairsville January 17 to 22 at 7 p. m.; at King January 24 to 27 at 7 p. m., followed by Holy Communion January 28.
H. C. Salem, Pastor.

Wanted, For Sale, Rent, Etc.

RATES—One cent per word for each insertion. No advertisement accepted for less than 15 cents.

Farm to Rent—Apply to A. Weisel, 320 West Pitt Street, Bedford, Pa.

For Rent—Suite of three rooms, parlor, bedroom and bath, very desirable; in Heckerman block. Ask A. L. Little about them. Jan. 7-31

If you have a good fat horse for the Eastern market, from \$20 to \$200, bring him to W. I. Taylor, New Paris, and get the cash.

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Don't let smouldering ruins point tauntingly at your neglect. Are your buildings insured? Fire comes like a thief in the night. Keep even by carrying well-chosen insurance. Wm. S. Lysinger will help you to choose. He has the best companies in his agency.

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Farm For Sale

Owing to the inclement weather the farm of J. J. Schlotter, northeast of Bedford, was not sold as advertised December 7. The property is for sale at private sale. Price and terms reasonable. Write or call on J. J. Schlotter, Bedford. Dec. 10-ft.

The Bedford Athletic Association will offer at public sale at 2 p. m., Saturday, January 8, in the Board of Trade Room in the Brode Building, a Pool Table and set of Cues, Balls and Racks, etc.; Chest Weight, Horizontal Bar, Punching Bag and Platform, Indian Clubs and Dumb-Bells, and various other articles. All in good condition.

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NOTICE OF THE FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania.

IN BANKRUPTCY

In the Matter of Ida L. Kaplan, trading as I. L. Kaplan Co., Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Ida L. Kaplan, trading as I. L. Kaplan Co., of Saxton, in the County of Bedford, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 16th day of December, A. D. 1909, the said Ida L. Kaplan, trading as I. L. Kaplan Co., was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of her creditors will be held at the Court House, in Bedford, Pa., on the 14th day of January, A. D. 1910, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

S. R. LONGENECKER, Referee in Bankruptcy
January 7, 1910.

Bedford Presbyterian Church

"Being Attractive" is the subject of the sermon next Sunday at 11 a. m. At 7:30 p. m. the topic will be "The Stream of Crimson."

Monday, January 10, at 7:30 p. m. the pastor will be installed with appropriate ceremonies by the Presbytery of Huntingdon.

Wednesday, January 12, at 7:30 p. m. the preparatory service will be held prior to the celebration of the Lord's Supper, the address being made by the pastor. At the close of this service the Session meets to welcome the new members.

On Sunday, January 16, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered at 11 and new members will be publicly received into the church. To all of these services the public is very cordially invited.
E. F. Reimer, Pastor.

St. John's Reformed Church

Sunday School at 9:45; divine worship at 11 a. m., subject: "Jesus, the Boy;" at 7 p. m. the pastor will be in a series of sermons upon the "Parable of the Sower." A welcome to all.
J. A. Eyer, Pastor

Church of God

Rev. F. W. McGuire is conducting revival services at Saxton. The attendance is good and interest excellent. Services will continue over Sunday. There will be preaching at Coal-mont Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

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No. 4. Black Herringbone Serge, trimmed with jet buttons, and skirt plaited and trimmed with jet buttons. Size 36. Reduced from \$16.50 to \$11.98.

No. 5. Blue Serge, plain. Jacket and skirt trimmed with jet buttons. Size 38. Reduced from \$12.50 to \$9.98.

No. 6. Black Chevron, trimmed with jet buttons. Skirt is plaited. Size 40. Reduced from \$11.00 to \$8.75.

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No. 8. Black Fancy Stripe Serge; Jacket trimmed with large jet buttons; Skirt is plaited. Size 40. Reduced from \$16.50 to \$11.98.

No. 9. Extra Quality Blue Serge, an exceedingly handsome garment, trimmed with fancy buttons. Skirt plaited. Size 37. Reduced from \$26.00 to \$18.50.

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